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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

A three-month extension of time from December 7, 2007, up to and including March 7, 2008, is hereby respectfully requested, and the extension fee of \$525.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for a small entity is being paid via the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's Electronic Filing System's credit card payment option. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Friday, March 7, 2008.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

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